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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

ANTHONY E. STEFANELLI,

Defendant.

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (SMB)

SIPA LIQUIDATION

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No. 10-04592 (SMB)

STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR SUBSTITUTION OF DEFENDANT

WHEREAS, on December 1, 2010, Irving H. Picard (the "Trustee"), as trustee for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa *et. seq.*, and the substantively consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff individually, filed the above-captioned avoidance action against Defendant Anthony E. Stefanelli; and

WHEREAS, Anthony E. Stefanelli died on January 12, 2017.

IT IS THEREFORE MUTUALLY AGREED AND STIPULATED, by and between the Trustee and Patricia Moretta, solely in her capacity as personal representative of the Estate of Anthony E. Stefanelli,, as follows:

- 1. The Estate of Anthony E. Stefanelli (the "Estate")¹, and Patricia Moretta, solely in her capacity as personal representative of the Estate, (collectively, the "Defendants"), are hereby substituted into this action in place of Anthony E. Stefanelli, deceased, and the complaint shall be deemed so amended (the "Amended Complaint").
- 2. The Clerk of the Court is hereby directed to amend the caption to remove Anthony E. Stefanelli and substitute the Estate, and Patricia Moretta, solely in her capacity as personal representative of the Estate, as reflected on Exhibit A to this Stipulation.
- 3. Undersigned counsel for the Estate, and Patricia Moretta, solely in her capacity as personal representative of the Estate, (i) expressly represents that he has the authority to accept service of the Amended Complaint on behalf of Defendants (ii) waives service of the summons and the Amended Complaint on behalf of Defendants, and (iii) hereby waives any defenses based

¹ Case No. PRC170001810, In re: Estate of Anthony E. Stefanelli, In the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit Court In and For Broward County, Florida, Probate Division.

on insufficiency of process or insufficiency of service of process of the summons and Amended Complaint on behalf of Defendants.

- 4. Except as expressly set forth herein, the parties to this Stipulation reserve all rights and defenses they may have. The existing response to the complaint shall be deemed the response to the amended complaint and no further response needs to be filed by Defendant.
- 5. This Stipulation may be signed by the parties in any number of counterparts, each of which when so signed shall be an original, but all of which shall together constitute one and the same instrument. A signed facsimile, photostatic or electronic copy of this Stipulation shall be deemed an original.

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Dated: October 31, 2017

/s/ Nicholas J. Cremona

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SO ORDERED:

Dated: **November 1, 2017**

New York, New York

/s/ STUART M. BERNSTEIN

HONORABLE STUART M. BERNSTEIN UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

EXHIBIT "A"

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